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## TRAVELLERS' REGISTER.

CLEVELAND, LORAIN & WHEELING RAILROAD.  
In effect May 18, 1889.

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## BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

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ROBERT H. FOLGER, Attorney at Law, U. S. Commissioner, Commissioner of Deeds for New York and Pennsylvania, and Notary Public, Office second floor, Tremont Block, No. 46 South Erie Street, Massillon, O. Will give strict attention to all business entrusted to his care in Stark and the adjoining counties.

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UNION NATIONAL BANK, Massillon, Ohio. Jos. Coleman, President, J. H. Hunt, Cashier.

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W. A. Redmond, Late examining corps, U. S. Patent Office, Solicitor of U. S. and Foreign Patents, No. 63 North W. Washington, D. C. Send for circular.

### To the Citizens of Massillon and Vicinity.

Hear what the distinguished Dr. R. MacFarland says of the liver: "That by far the greater portion of the ailments that afflict mankind can be traced to the liver is now conceded by physicians of every school. Dr. R. MacFarland, with his large experience with disease, has discovered a most wonderful remedy for the liver and all the effects that arise therefrom such as sick headache, nervous headache, neuralgia and constipation. Hear what the doctor says: 'I consider this a special cure for these diseases and will give \$100 for a case of sick headache they will not cure, or constipation, if used as directed on the inside of the boxes. The name of this medicine is the Liver Pill—50 pills in a box; dose, one pill on going to bed. We can tell you more. They will cure rheumatism and dyspepsia every time. All we ask is a trial to convince the most incredulous. See that you get Dr. MacFarland's Pills, manufactured at Genoa, Ohio, gold yellow in color, all others claimed to be Dr. MacFarland's are frauds. Z. T. Baltzly, Massillon, only keeps them. Ask him for reference. This is the great blood purifier of the world. It cleans your complexion and cures skin diseases. Try them and don't fail. If from any cause you cannot get them of agents or your druggist, send to the dispensary of Dr. R. MacFarland, Genoa, Ohio. Sent by mail to all parts of the U. S. upon receipt of price, \$1.00.

### Hello, Central!

"Hello, Central!" "Hello!" "Is that Massillon?" "Yes, sir." "Connect me with the Piano Manufacturing Company's office." "Go ahead." "Hello, Brenizer." "Well, what is it?" "Have you any improvements this year on binders and mowers?" "I should say so, we have the finest binder that's in Eastern Ohio." "Well." "Why you had the finest looker and easiest running binder last year I ever saw; my neighbor cut his whole harvest with two horses, and he has a very hilly farm." "Well." "I will come down for binder and my neighbor for a mower—we will drive down." "Yes." "Say, hello!" "Well." "Do you carry twine?" "Yes, sir, in car load lots at Hemperly & Jacob's. We have the inside rack on twine this year. We bought early." "Good bye." "Good bye."

## NEWS IN BRIEF.

Ex-Minister McLane is on his way home.

The Samoan treaty is to be completed on Tuesday.

John L. Sullivan will visit Philadelphia on Thursday.

Senator Don Cameron, wife and child are in London, Eng.

Minister Lincoln was presented to Queen Victoria on Saturday.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe is celebrating her 70th anniversary to-day.

Boulanger and his supporters will contest all the elections held in France.

Governor Beaver has signed 295 bills since the adjournment of the legislature.

John Smith announces that he will fight the winner in the Kilrain-Sullivan match.

Wife-murderer Labee has been sentenced to be hanged at Paterson, N. J., June 27.

Mrs. Harrison has as her guest Mrs. Newcomer, of Indiana, a relative of the president.

Ex-President Cleveland has taken for two months the cottage of Rev. Percy Brown, at Marion, Mass.

Proposals for the construction of three cruisers for the navy were let from the navy department on Saturday.

The secretary of the treasury has appointed H. E. Slaymaker to be custodian of the public building at Lancaster, Pa.

There are indications that the question, "Who killed Dr. Cronin?" will become a twin conundrum to "Who struck Billy Patterson?"

Detective Coughlin of the Chicago police force, is under arrest on suspicion of having been implicated in Dr. Cronin's assassination.

A movement is on foot to obtain a high license system for saloons in Baltimore and to establish a police court for the trial of petty offenses.

J. R. McKee, the president's son-in-law, arrived at the White House from Indianapolis Saturday. He will return this week, accompanied by Mrs. McKee.

A self-confessed forger gave himself up to the authorities at West Chester on Saturday. His name is Thomas C. Llewellyn and his forgeries amount to \$500.

Mrs. S. H. Butz of Schuylkill Haven, left her house shortly after 2 o'clock on Saturday morning, and jumping into the canal, was drowned. Her mind was affected.

George Jessups, cashier of the Scranton City bank, is a defaulter to the amount of \$135,000. His embezzlement and speculations have compelled the bank to close its doors.

Capt. Murrell was presented with a gold watch on behalf of American friends at his home in Colchester, Eng., on Saturday. Henry George made the presentation speech.

Lewis T. Williams and Mrs. Jane Steere, who have been on trial for weeks past in Plymouth, N. Y., charged with the murder of the latter's husband, were acquitted by the jury.

It is said that Francis H. Smith of Maryland, formerly a general stenographer of the house of representatives, has been selected for appointment as postmaster at Washington.

Sir Julian Pauncefote will return to England in July for the purpose of bringing Lady Pauncefote and daughters to Washington. It is expected that they will spend a part of September at Lenox.

The first license ever granted for a baby farm in Pennsylvania was granted by Mayor Filner of Philadelphia on Saturday. The institution is controlled by an organization of benevolent colored women.

The Waddell colliery at Miners' Mills, near Wilkesbarre, employing 400 men and boys, was sold to the firm of Parke & Watkins of Pittston, for \$50,000. The mine will be closed for some days before the new firm takes hold.

Bishop Keane, who has been a guest at the pastoral residence of St. Patrick's church since his arrival in Washington last Tuesday, left this afternoon for Philadelphia. He will visit a number of places in Pennsylvania, and will then go to Chicago and the far west.

Work has been resumed on the Pittsburg government building.

It is stated that the engineers on the "Q" road are agitating another strike.

Brilliant, O., is to receive a water supply from Wellsburg, W. Va., across the river.

Col. Andrews, chairman of the Republican state committee, will locate in Pittsburg in a few days.

A tool dresser named Orr, working on an oil well at Little Washington, was fatally burned by gas on Tuesday.

The Pittsburg and Allegheny G. A. R. societies are making elaborate preparations for the observance of Memorial day.

The Clay county, W. Va., grand jury brought in six indictments Tuesday against the Rev. James Smith for gambling.

Four sticks of dynamite were found on the track of the Illinois Central railroad at Fourteenth street, Chicago, Tuesday morning.

Burglars broke the window in front of Kirk's hardware store, New Castle, Pa., Tuesday, and stole a quantity of knives and revolvers.

A wreck on the Housatonic railroad, near Bridgeport, Conn., Tuesday, caused the death of two men and seriously injured two others.

Ex-Senator Platt and Gen. Russell A. Alger will leave in a few days for Alaska, where they will rusticate for a couple of months.

George Martin, a lad aged 15, living at Grafton, W. Va., accidentally shot himself while out hunting on Monday. He was dead when found.

The treasury department has decided that knife-sharpeners made of wood, steel and emery are dutiable as manufactured in part of metal as not as wheel-stones are manufacturers of steel.

During a quarrel at Little Washington, between two boys, Joe Day knocked Morgan Carlton down with a stick, and jumping upon his breast beat and bruised him so badly that he cannot live.

The president has accepted an invitation to attend a Grand Army memorial service at the Metropolitan M. E. Church next Sunday. The president's pew, in

which Grant used to sit, will be reserved for him.

Andrew Quinn secured damages in Philadelphia against the Reading railroad in the sum of \$12,000, and Henry Specht was given a verdict of \$20,000 against the Pennsylvania road. Both men were injured by the roads.

Columbus, Ind., was visited by a heavy white frost Thursday evening.

A charter has been granted to the Virgin Run Gas company of Fayette county.

President Harrison will review the G. A. R. procession in Brooklyn on Decoration day.

Tichgorin and Weiss played another draw in their effort to settle the tie in the chess tourney.

J. J. Vandergriff says that the rumor to the effect that the Standard company will sell Lima oil as an illuminant is not true.

United States marshals made a raid Friday on illicit distillers in McDowell county, W. Va. Three men were taken by surprise and captured.

John Galloway, the man who shot Striker Dunn some days ago, was released on bail in the Pittsburg courts Friday in the sum of \$5,000. Dunn is convalescing.

Rose Terry Cooke, the authoress, is seriously ill, and her physicians fear neuralgia of the heart. She is more comfortable to-day, however, than for a day or two past.

The Ohio State Medical society is in session at Youngstown.

The second effort of Tichgorin and Weiss to play off their tie in the chess tournament resulted in another draw.

French creek between Franklin and Meadville is full of dead fish, the result of the unlawful use of torpedoes by unknown parties.

Three new cases of smallpox broke out at Nanticoke, Pa., Wednesday night. The victims were taken to the pest house early next morning.

John Wilson, an unmarried man, was struck Thursday morning by a Valley switching engine and probably fatally injured at Canton, O.

The Ripley marble mills at Center Rutland, Vt., were burned. Loss \$75,000, partially insured. About 150 men are thrown out of work.

Nearly an inch of snow fell at Findlay and other Ohio towns on Thursday. Harrisburg, Pa., was also visited by a snow storm on the same day.

Frank Compton killed his wife, Dora, at West Pittston Thursday morning and then cut his own throat, dying two hours later. Jealousy led to the rash act.

A jury was obtained yesterday in the Carter murder case. Carter, the defendant, shot and killed Isaac Gross at the Solar Iron works, Pittsburg, in March last, without seeming provocation.

President Harrison has remitted the fine and costs, amounting to about \$750, against Shin Coy, the Democratic politician, who is serving a sentence of eighteen months in the penitentiary for election frauds committed in Indianapolis in 1886. His term will expire in a few days.

T. H. Williams returned to Pittsburg Monday from an African tour.

Capt. Farquhar, who commanded the ill-fated Trenton when she was cast away at Apia, has arrived in Washington.

Mr. Robert T. Lincoln, the United States minister, and Mrs. Lincoln were received by the Prince and Princess of Wales, at Marlborough house, Monday.

The annual commencement exercises of Allegheny college will commence with the baccalaureate sermon by the president, Dr. W. G. Williams on Sunday, June 23.

Tschigarin and Weiss have tied again in the attempt to play off the chess tournament, and have therefore decided to divide first prize, \$1,750, and the title of champion of the world.

H. B. Nicholas and Miss Grace Moore, the couple that recently eloped from Youngstown, have been found at Galion, O. The young lady says she will not return to her home without it is a coffin.

An infuriated mob overpowered the sheriff at Port Huron, Mich., at an early hour Monday morning, entered the jail, secured Albert Martin, the mulatto who so brutally assaulted Mrs. John Gillis, and lynched him. No arrests have been made.

The Standing of the League and Association Games Up to Date.

The following tables show the correct standing of the League and Association clubs. Pittsburg is not getting any higher, but there is consolation in the fact that it is not getting lower. Of course, there is not a degree much lower to get than the one occupied by the local team. Boston still leads, but chiefly because other clubs are out of condition:

League Record.

	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Boston	16	6	.727
Philadelphia	14	9	.609
New York	14	11	.561
Cleveland	14	13	.518
Chicago	13	13	.500
Pittsburg	11	15	.423
Indianapolis	9	15	.375
Washington	6	15	.286

Association Record.

	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
St. Louis	25	10	.714
Brooklyn	19	11	.636
Kansas City	17	15	.529
Cincinnati	17	15	.529
Athletic	14	14	.500
Baltimore	14	14	.500
Columbus	9	21	.300
Louisville	8	22	.267

Fatal Wind Storm.

EMPORIA, Kan., May 29.—A terrific wind storm took place near Clements, thirty-four miles west of here. Four persons are known to have been killed and a great many wounded. The only names so far learned are a farmer named Milton Brown, killed, and his wife and son badly injured. The wires are down and the only information is from persons on a stock train just arrived here.

Four Months for His Folly.

PARIS, May 29.—Perrin, the man who fired a blank cartridge at President Carnot on May 5, as the latter was leaving the Elysee to attend the celebration of the centenary of the revolution at Versailles, was sentenced to four months' imprisonment.

Evictions Witnessed by Americans.

DUBLIN, May 29.—Many English and American visitors were present to witness evictions to-day on the Leicacurran estate. The families of eight tenants were put out of their homes.

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## HUNTING FOR EVIDENCE.

THE LATEST DEVELOPMENTS IN THE CRONIN ASSASSINATION CASE.

Coughlin and Sullivan Formally Arrested, Charged With Murder and Committed Without Bail—The Authorities Disclaim Any Knowledge of the Whereabouts of McGeehan, Although It Is Believed He Is Under Lock and Key.

Chicago, May 28.—At 11 o'clock last night the status of the investigation into the Cronin assassination was about the same as it was twelve hours before. Very little progress was made during the day. Despite the reported denials of the police authorities, who with some show of distemper disclaim any knowledge of his whereabouts, it is definitely known that Peter Cronin, the Philadelphia blacksmith who is suspected of being the principal factor in the assassination, is confined in one of the dark cells beneath the detective department in the city hall. No attempt has so far been made to put him "on the rack" or in the sweat box, the authorities preferring to await further developments before subjecting him to an inquisition. The fact is that they are more than a little in doubt as to the ground they are treading on. More than one prominent official connected with the department has questioned very seriously whether any reasonable ground existed for McGeehan's arrest, and they are not very backward about expressing the opinion that should the move prove a false one it will be as unfortunate for the department and for the interests of justice as it will prove fortunate for the real criminals, to whom every hour of delay may just now be of infinite value and importance.

Coughlin Still in Confinement.

Detective Coughlin is still locked up at the Harrison street station, but he has been provided with conveniences in the shape of furniture and bedding, which tend to mitigate the discomfort of his confinement. According to the authorities no one, not even the lieutenant in charge of the station, has been allowed to converse with him during the day. The report that P. O. Sullivan, the ice man, had been arrested on suspicion turns out to be incorrect, although he is under such surveillance as would make it impossible for him to leave the city. In his case, as in McGeehan's, the authorities are inclined to go slow, and to act upon accumulated facts rather than upon the stories and statements made in hot blood.

A Prolonged Conference.

There was a prolonged conference in the afternoon between Mayor Cregier, State's Attorney Longenecker, Corporation Counsel Hutchinson and Attorneys Luther, Laffin, Mills and W. J. Hynes, the two latter representing the friends and adherents of the murdered man. The report was circulated and generally believed that the participants were engaged in an examination of the papers and affidavits which had been collected by Cronin and which bore on the alleged misappropriation of Clan-Na-Gael funds, and in addition it was stated that wholesale arrests of people named in the papers were imminent. All this was denied when the conference came to an end, the state's attorney making the emphatic declaration that the only object of the conference was to straighten out the evidence already given and affidavits taken in order that there might be a clear field for the opening of the coroner's inquiry to-day. It was also given out that none of the private papers of the deceased had been examined and that they would under no circumstances figure in the inquest.

The statements printed that Dr. Cronin was "removed" as a result of a secret trial conducted by the Clan-Na-Gael organization is emphatically resented by members of that organization. Luke Dillon of Philadelphia, who claims to be in this city as the representative of the national body, issued a card to the public emphasizing this fact.

Coughlin and Sullivan Formally Arrested.

CHICAGO, May 28.—Daniel Coughlin, the detective, and P. O. Sullivan, the Lakeview ice dealer, were formally arrested to-night on the charge of murdering Dr. Cronin. After the formal reading of the warrants Coughlin was led from his cell in the Harrison street station and accompanied by his attorney, W. S. Forrest, was taken to the Chicago avenue police station, where, after brief proceedings, he was committed to the county jail without bail. The information upon which the warrants for the arrest of Coughlin and Sullivan were sworn to by John Joseph Cronin, a brother of the murdered man. Sullivan was arrested after eating his supper at home and was held a prisoner in Lakeview.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe Honored.

BOSTON, May 28.—Mrs. Julia Ward Howe received many congratulations and evidences of esteem on the 70th anniversary of her birth. Her house was overwhelmed with floral gifts, and many friends called in person, while many others sent letters and telegrams. Among the latter were O. W. Holmes, G. W. Curtis, R. W. Gilder and W. W. Story. A reception was held last evening, to which a limited number of friends were invited. Mrs. Howe's age precluding a larger entertainment.

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THURSDAY, MAY 30, 1890.

Attention, Republican Central Committee.

There will be a meeting of the Republican Central Committee at the rooms of the McKinley Club, Canton, on Saturday, June 1, at 11 o'clock a. m. It is requested that all persons desiring to be candidates for any county office at the November election meet with the committee. J. Whiting, Jr., Chairman. RALPH S. AMBLER, Secretary.

The Independent fully appreciates the compliment that is paid to it by the borrowers who do not trouble themselves to attach credit marks to their condensations and adaptations.

There is more popular excitement over the disposition of fourth class post offices in Ohio, than the selection of a Republican candidate for governor, however inflated the aspirants may be.

The women of the United States may be slightly surprised when they know that the president's stenographer, Miss Alice B. Sawyer, is the first of that sex ever employed as a clerk in the White House.

What a superb governor Ben Butterworth would make. This country is blessed with a grand array of politicians, good, clever fellows, too, but Ben Butterworth is one of the few American statesmen. Physically and mentally he is a giant.

There is a prospective congressional general now sojourning in this city. If the good wishes and enthusiastic letters of all the prominent men in the United States, and the endorsements of seemingly an equal number of political leaders go for anything, George H. Wallace, of Missouri, will go to Melbourne, Australia.

The United States liquor licenses in Iowa, a prohibition state, show an increase of 234. Is it not most astonishing that the United States government is willing to go into business with illicit dealers to the extent of accepting money for a license that is refused by the State? And is it not equally astonishing that the state authorities cannot find the places for which the licenses are taken out?

A New York paper speaks of Chief Justice Fuller's literary work as one of the most abominable prose styles it has ever examined. There are clauses inside of clauses, and smaller clauses inside of these, till the construction resembles a nest of Chinese boxes. The thread of the sense is broken, suspended for a hundred and fifty words, till relatives and antecedents become as hopelessly involved as Benjamin Harrison's Virginia pedigree.

Democrats, who are high in the local councils say, that the Rev. Edward Everett Dresbach, the meteoric apostle of free trade without any custom houses in it, and who is not a Democrat except as Democracy may coincide with him, is going to return to Massillon, to run for state representative. What a picturesqueness the Rev. Edward Everett would give to a political campaign! THE INDEPENDENT sincerely trusts that Mr. Dresbach will return.

Mr. Archibald McGregor has announced himself a candidate for state senator upon the Democratic ticket. Mr. McGregor as an editor was one whose platform, "I am a Democrat," covered a miry mass, but he has softened in his later years, and the asperities that once would have been roused by his mention may not now follow. Certainly Mr. McGregor has mental force, and as politics go, is deserving of any honor that his party can bestow—but among them the office of state senator is not numbered.

The people of Massillon, and the friends of Captain Ricks wherever they may be, hopeful as they were

of his appointment, and disappointed as they are at his defeat, turn to Judge William R. Day, of Canton, and heartily congratulate him upon his appointment to succeed Judge Welker, of Cleveland. Everybody knows that he will honor the bench to which he has been called, and hopes that his judicial career will be as long and as successful as that of the able man whose seat he will take.

West end Democrats talk of trotting out Otto Young, a Massillon limb of the law, as candidate for representative. Young is youthful and verdant and fired with ambition to imitate Monnot's career of juvenile glory. The wisdom of turning the state house into an infant school is not very apparent, but perhaps the untutored wire pullers have determined to run Archie McGregor for senator, and wish to strike an average on age.—Alliance Review.

Mr. Young is a Democrat, and is on the sunny side of life, but the Review does him an injustice in thinking him an active candidate or an imitator of the rising young statesman. He has a valuable law practice and is so far from being "verdant" as to occupy, in a private capacity, many positions of trust and honor. As a partisan he is deserving of such strictures only as are applicable to any member of his organization.

Immediately after the New York Centennial there was some discontent among the Ohio and Pennsylvania troops because of the plainness of their fatigue uniforms, in contrast with the gaudy garments of other states. THE INDEPENDENT urged at the time that nothing was ever so becoming or proper as the plain blue, and thought that it would be wiser for Ohio to increase the efficiency of the National Guard by other means than providing fancy uniforms. In view of all this it is pleasant to read the following in the Cincinnati Commercial Gazette:

"By command of the governor and adjutant general, all the New York militia are now compelled, when out on state and official occasions, to wear a like uniform, but any organization, when out merely on independent display, can wear a distinctive uniform at the individual expense of the members. The order is a sensible one."

There was a great game of ball near town Sunday. The Casey Blues on one side and the Corner Grays on the other. The great feature about the game was the interesting work done by the Misses Mary Arr, Kate Arr, Jennie Johnson, Mary Mauger, Lizzie Stemmler, Kate Mauger, Josephine Warth and Ida Berarr. The game stood 17 to 13 in favor of the Grays. The girls played good ball and were well enough informed to attempt to demolish the umpire, John Berarr. The young ladies are now practicing and propose to play again.

**Deafness Can't be Cured**  
By local application, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that we cannot cure by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.

Look at these prices, then call and see the goods. You will be surprised at the quality. Men's good all solid seamless Congress or Bal for only \$1.00 per pair; men's good working shoes for 75c per pair; men's fine dress shoes for \$1.25 per pair, and many other big bargains we can show you. J. D. Frank & Co., No. 6 East Main street.

Boys' button shoes and lap sole tipped Congress only \$1.00 per pair at J. D. Frank & Co.'s.

We have the best \$1.00 plow shoes and Dom Pedros in the city. J. D. Frank & Co.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is peculiar in itself and superior to all other preparations in strength, economy, and medicinal merit.

Children's school shoes 9 to 12, 75c per pair, and a nice kid button shoe 9 to 11 only 75c per pair at J. D. Frank & Co.'s.

## Weak Women.

The more sensitive nature of the female sex renders women much more susceptible than men to those numerous ills which spring from lack of harmony in the system. The nervous system gives way, sick headache is frequent, the appetite is lost, and other ailments peculiar to the sex cause great suffering. Hood's Sarsaparilla is peculiarly adapted for such cases, and has received the most gratifying praise for the relief it has afforded thousands of women whose very existence before taking it was only misery. It strengthens the nerves, cures sick headache and indigestion, purifies and vitalizes the blood, and gives regular and healthy action to every organ in the body.

## A FORGOTTEN PAGE.

## THE HISTORY OF VETERAN ORGANIZATIONS

In the City of Massillon, Taken From the Official Records of Hart Post.

A thin and modest record book is among the possessions of Hart Post G. A. R., which contains a chapter of almost forgotten local history, that it is worth while to snatch, especially on this day, from a dusty oblivion. It is doubtful if there is one time-scarred veteran in the city who could recollect the events leading up to the organization of the present G. A. R. post unless his memory has recently been refreshed by hearing what now follows, and is entitled "A Record of the Proceedings of the Board of G. A. R. Cemetery Control and History of Hart Post No. 2, G. A. R., Department of Ohio."

"Hart Post No. 2, G. A. R., Department of Ohio, was originally organized on the 20th day of September, 1886, and was designated as Post 2, of the District of Stark, Department of Ohio, G. A. R. The members of the order, entering into the spirit of the organization, earnestly labored to secure the objects of the same, and much was bestowed in the way of benefits to soldiers' widows and orphans, and to needy soldiers. Several hundred dollars were donated to the Ohio Soldiers and Sailors Orphans' Home at Xenia, festivals were given, food, clothing, fuel and money were solicited, and the response of the citizens being liberal, prompt distribution was made, and for a period of about five years the benefits of the order were steadily conferred on such as were entitled to receive them.

"However, as time fled, and one by one the members of the order passed from earth, and soldiers not connected with the order died and were buried in the potter's field in the Massillon cemetery, the members resolved to procure a suitable lot in that cemetery for the exclusive purpose of using it as a burial place for 'soldiers, sailors and marines who had served in the Union army or navy during the Southern rebellion of '61-'65, and who otherwise might be buried in graves among the unknown.' Therefore a committee was appointed to secure a suitable lot; efforts to secure funds to purchase the same were made; several military dramas, 'The Union Spy,' 'The Old Flag,' and 'The Color Guard,' were successfully and successfully presented to the public on the stage of the Massillon opera house, and a fund thereby raised to effect the purpose in view.

"The lot was purchased, and efforts were made to erect a monument thereon, and not being able to secure the necessary funds in sufficient quantity the purpose of erecting the monument has been held in abeyance though not abandoned.

"Meanwhile Post No. 2, District of Stark, was given a new designation by the reorganization of the Department of Ohio, and under the new order of things was known as Post No. 45, and upon a further reorganization of the department and a general re-numbering of the order, Post 45 was designated as Hart Post No. 2, Hart being the name selected in honor of Lieut. John M. Hart, late of Company I, 76th Ohio Volunteer Infantry in the Union army during the war.

"During the years 1874-5 the post became weakened by losses to its membership from various causes, and after much hesitation and deliberation, it was decided to disband the post and form an organization which should have for its exclusive purpose, the care of the lot secured as above stated, the care and control of such funds as had been accumulated for the purpose of erecting a suitable monument on the lot, and for the purpose of securing the observance of proper memorial day services on each succeeding 30th of May. Therefore for the guidance and information of all members of the Board of G. A. R. Cemetery Lot Control this memorandum has been written in this book of records of the proceedings of said board, and the following entries and records represent the acts of said board from the date of disbandment of Hart Post No. 2, viz. November 9, 1875, at which date the charter of said post was surrendered."

Turn over a page of the book containing the foregoing incidents, and we find the minutes of the last meeting of Hart Post No. 2, signed by Captain R. B. Crawford as secretary. From that date, Nov. 9, 1875, there was no G. A. R. organization in Massillon until September 1881, when Hart Post was again established, its existence since having been continuous. From that date, until within the month almost passed, the Board of Cemetery Control managed the affairs suggested by that title, and which are once more given over to the care of the post.

Pending the organization of that board, until December 14, 1880, when the report of expenditures was made, every effort was put forth to secure funds for the completion of the monument which now adorns the cemetery, and which was dedicated Memorial day, 1881.

Now, having taken a glance at a small part of the work of the veterans at home, let us take a larger view and consider what remains to be done: The posts in the Southern states are necessarily weak in numbers, yet in Southern soil there lays the dust of hundreds of thousands of soldiers good and true, sleeping in unmarked graves. An appeal from Phil Kearney Post, of Rich-

mond, says: "The number of comrades falling under our special care is 38,382, of which number 8,441 lie in marked graves, and 29,941 fill the graves of our unknown dead, while in this department the total number of comrades, who, fighting, fell, and rest in national cemeteries on alien soil, is 105,048."

Another circular from Atlanta says: "The Marietta cemetery at our very doors contains nearly 15,000 graves, while that at Andersonville contains 18,714 of our comrades who elected to starve to death rather than accept life and enlistment under the rebel flag." This circular elsewhere says: "The total membership of the Department of Georgia does not equal that of many of the posts to whom this circular is addressed, and the burden has heretofore fallen heavily on our scattered comrades in the South. No other way appearing, we deem it proper to lay this statement before the G. A. R. posts throughout the country, feeling that in every community there are many Grand Army men, who have comrades, file-leaders and bunk-mates lying in these cemeteries, whose graves they would love to honor."

Here then is the direction to which we now must turn, and show that no narrow bounds circumscribe the limits of our thoughtfulness, and that though absent in person our purses are ready to assist in honoring the resting places of the unknown dead.

## PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The Total Valuation Approximates One Million Dollars.

The city assessors have completed their work, and have made the following return of personal property for taxation:

WARD ONE.	
174 Horses.....	\$ 10,320 00
74 Cattle.....	1,455 00
6 Mules.....	300 00
31 Hogs.....	95 00
127 Carriages.....	8,189 00
126 Watches.....	36,615 00
131 Pianos and organs.....	10,269 00
Merchandise.....	57,610 00
Manufactured articles.....	59,520 00
Money subject to draft.....	24,750 00
Credits less debts.....	100,135 00
Money in stocks and bonds.....	2,500 00
4 Dogs, value fixed.....	65 00
64 Dogs at one dollar each.....	
Total valuation.....	\$445,630 00

WARD TWO.	
115 Horses.....	\$ 5,105 00
19 Cattle.....	388 00
23 Mules.....	450 00
29 Hogs.....	83 00
61 Carriages.....	3,170 00
Personal property not enumerated.....	11,720 00
66 Pianos and organs.....	675 00
Merchandise.....	48,361 00
Manufactured articles.....	24,670 00
Money subject to draft.....	21,863 00
Value of credits less debts.....	3,400 00
Money in stocks and bonds.....	1,100 00
2 Dogs, value fixed.....	10 00
59 Dogs at one dollar each.....	
Total valuation.....	\$131,269 00

WARD THREE.	
223 Horses.....	\$ 12,630 00
77 Cattle.....	1,540 00
65 Hogs.....	195 00
100 Carriages.....	8,340 00
Personal property not enumerated.....	40,650 00
105 Watches.....	2,833 00
96 Pianos and organs.....	7,235 00
Merchandise.....	72,650 00
Manufactured articles.....	18,745 00
Money subject to draft.....	39,101 00
Credits less debts.....	126,150 00
Money in stocks and bonds.....	2,000 00
42 Dogs, value fixed.....	80 00
42 Dogs at one dollar each.....	
Total valuation.....	\$311,887 00

WARD FOUR.	
105 Horses.....	\$ 7,145 00
21 Cattle.....	390 00
2 Mules.....	400 00
39 Hogs.....	139 00
90 Carriages.....	3,460 00
Property not enumerated.....	11,369 00
43 Pianos and organs.....	1,735 00
Merchandise.....	3,935 00
Manufactured articles.....	7,925 00
Money subject to draft.....	6,240 00
Credits less debts.....	700 00
50 Dogs at one dollar each.....	
Total valuation.....	\$47,045 00

New structures: Ward one, 11, \$5,400; ward two, 19, \$7,400; ward three, 24, \$15,150; ward four 9, \$3,800.

The total value of personal property in the four wards of the city, as found by the assessors and subject to change by the board of equalization, is \$858,591.50. The amount returned last year was \$794,764, showing an increase of \$64,127.

## Real Estate Transfers.

Reported for THE INDEPENDENT by H. A. Trump, abstractor of titles.

Massillon—A. Leininger, sheriff, to Charlotte Wiegand, pt. No. 153, \$1,690.

County—Jas. Bayless to E. G. Krause & Co., 40 acres Tuscarawas township, \$3,600. J. W. Wise to J. L. Stoner 66.66 acres Plain township, \$8,500. Samuel

Mase's heirs to Simon P. Mase 100.71 acres Bethlehem township, \$8,000. Samuel

Mase's heirs to Mary E. Roush 95.27 acres Bethlehem township, \$8,000. Samuel

Mase's heirs to Catharine Mase 95.27 acres Bethlehem township, \$8,000. Henry

Keller to Jacob Keller 60 acres Lexington township, \$3,000. Henry Keller

to Samuel Keller 60 acres Lexington township, \$3,000. Joseph Davisto Wm.

Powell Nos. 36, 37, 38, 47, 48, 49, Marlboro, \$900. Maty E. Putt to Peter D.

Lilly 82-100 acres Lake township, \$1,125. Dr. J. P. Schilling to Carpenter Hosier

Co. 41.55 acres Nimishillen township, \$500. Francis Sabourin to Peter Bailey

25 acres Nimishillen township, \$1,800. Peter Bailey to Louisa Sabourin 25 acres

Nimishillen township, \$1,800. Ben. F. Criswell to C. C. Cook 156 acres Osnaburg

township, \$14,220. Adam Shares's heirs to J. W. Montgomery 4.75 acres

Osnaburg township, \$550. J. W. Montgomery to Henry Reed 4.75 acres Osnaburg

township, \$550. Henry Reed to Ben. Sell and W. O. Wernitz 4.75 acres

Osnaburg township, \$550. Nimishilla Lodge to Finckrock & Winings No. 43

Waynesburg, \$523. Geo. W. Walker to C. C. Cook 80 acres Osnaburg, \$10,000.

There were twelve transfers in Canton, amount \$30,650; and two in Alliance, amount \$1,650.

In Guy's (London) Hospital Reports vol. 1, page 396, is found the statement: "Simple hypertrophy (enlargement) of the heart, especially of the left ventricle, is found without valvular incompetency. In this numerous class the cardiac is secondary (a symptom) to the renal affection." This explains why Warner's

Safe Cure is effective in cases of heart disease. It removes from the blood the kidney acid which causes the heart disease.

## THE SILENT SLEEPERS.

THOSE WHO ARE GONE YOU HAVE.

Those Who Departed Loving You, Love You Still; and You Love Them Always.

From year to year THE INDEPENDENT has compiled the names of the veterans who sleep their last sleep in this city, so that their names, as well as their graves, might ever be green. It remained until this year for Hart Post to procure other cemetery lists, compare them with that in the possession of this paper, look up records, and correct them as far as possible. The result of the work is here presented, and up to this time the following is the most complete and correct record extant. Any errors should be reported at once:

## MASSILLON CEMETERY.

Austin Allen, Co. I, 18th U. S. Infantry  
Robert Allen, Co. A, 24th U. S. V.  
W. H. Anderson, Co. A, 7th Indiana V.  
Levi Archer, 3d U. S. C. Troops.  
Maully Almond, Regiment unknown  
Gustafus Amundson, 18th U. S. V.  
F. Bailey, War of 1812  
Charles Barker, 3d U. S. Colored Infantry  
James Barnett, Co. C, 16th O. S. G.  
John B. Barrett, Co. I, 18th O. V.  
L. Bellamy, 3d O. V.  
Benjamin Benner, 8th O. V.  
Cyrus Brooks, Co. I, 76th O. V.  
W. L. Canfield, Co. A, 16th O. V.  
John Caruthers, 3d O. Ind. Battery  
Daniel V. Clark, Co. I, 76th O. V.  
John Coleman, 16th New York Infantry  
Mark Coleman, 3d O. V.  
John Crooks, War of 1812  
S. F. Cunningham, Co. B, 8th O. V.  
Fred Charles 17th O. V.  
Peter Cherman, Co. A, 18th O. V.  
Andrew Ditch, Co. C, 58th O. V.  
James L. Duncan, 16th O. V.  
Jacob Evans, Co. A, Pennsylvania Volunteers  
Joseph Fergus, 58th O. V.  
Jacob Eyerman, Co. I, 76th  
Harvey Fuller, 1st Ind. Battery  
Andrew Gallagher, 1st Ind. Cavalry  
Frank Grossman, Co. E, 10th O. V.  
William Gliber, Co. A, 16th O. V.  
Charles Hampshire, Co. A, 19th O. V.  
J. H. Harbottle, Co. I, 76th O. V.  
James Harsh, Co. E, 39th O. V.  
John M. Hart, Co. I, 76th O. V.  
Joseph Holgreen, Regiment unknown  
Fred Hursthal, Surgeon 19 O. V.  
John Howenstein, Co. I, 76th O. V.  
V. R. Kautz, Co. A, 16th O. V.  
John Keimard, 1st Ohio Battery  
Chas. Kocher, Co. A, 16th O. V.  
Michael Kearns, 3d Ohio Battery  
Peter Kerstetter, War of 1812  
J. R. Kiehl, Co. A, 16th O. V.  
George Koons 3d Ohio V.  
Ed Latimer, 27th U. S. Infantry  
Robert Larmer, Co. I, 76th O. V.  
Lewis Leachman, Co. I, 76th O. V.  
David Lee, 3d Ohio Volunteer Infantry  
Henry Lemon, Co. A, 10th O. V.  
Lewis Leachman, 8th O. V.  
Gottlieb Lecker, Co. I, 76th O. V.  
Charles D. Lynch, U. S. Navy  
John Muller, Co. A, 32d O. V.  
Nathan Martin, Co. I, 63d Illinois V.  
Edward McConaughy, 3d Ohio Battery  
Michael McDaniel, Co. I, 12th O. V.  
Jacob McWhinney, Co. E, 10th O. V.  
Captain William Miller  
Georgeau A. Metz, Mexican War  
S. S. Miller, Co. A, 16th O. V.  
Samuel Mauger, Co. A, 42d O. V.  
John B. Myers, 1st N. Y. Cavalry  
Henry Myers, 1st N. Y. Cavalry  
George Monroe, Co. A, 16th O. V.  
Philip Newman, Co. E, 39th O. V.  
Dr. N. Newton, 2d O. V.  
John Newland, Co. I, 76th O. V.  
John Plimly, U. S. Engineer corps  
George Plimly, 1st Ohio Cavalry  
John Reese, Co. D, 18th Regiment  
H. L. Rider, Co. E, 10th O. V.  
Charles A. Roup, Co. I, 76th O. V.  
Hiram Richmond, Co. A, 16th O. V.  
Wm. A. Richardson, 2d O. V. Cavalry  
T. A. Ricks, Co. E, 10th O. V.  
Jacob Ritter, Co. A, 16th O. V.  
David F. Roush, Co. A, 16th O. V.  
Jas. Robinson, 5th U. S. Colored troops  
John A. Seig, 3d Ohio Battery  
Peter Shaut, Co. A, 16th O. V.  
A. Shantine, 39th O. V.  
James Shopler, 18th U. S. Infantry  
Samuel J. Shoup, 3d Ohio Battery  
I. Squires, Co. F, 10th O. V.  
Andrew Starks, 18th O. V.  
Norman Steffen, Co. I, 76th O. V.  
Wm. Anson Stevens, Co. A, 16th O. V.  
Geo. J. Stewart, 1st N. Y. Cavalry  
A. H. Smith, captain Co. 16th O. Cavalry  
Charles E. Taylor, Co. D, 1st Conn. Infantry  
Captain Isaac T. Union, 3d U. S. V.  
James A. Walker, Co. E, 10th O. V.  
Marion Whitehead, Co. I, 76th O. V.  
Wm. Widgen, Naval service 1812  
James Whitehead, Co. A, 16th O. V.  
J. C. Whitner, Co. A, 16th O. V.  
Wm. Wilson, Co. A, 12th O. V.  
Jacob Wise, 3d Ohio Volunteers  
A. Wiswell, War 1812  
Theodore Yorley, 3d Ohio battery

## GERMAN ROMAN CATHOLIC CEMETERY.

S. Hook, Regiment unknown  
Louis Schott, Co. E, 14th O. V. Cavalry  
Joseph Platt, Regiment unknown  
Albert Probst

## ENGLISH ROMAN CATHOLIC CEMETERY.

A. Alarding  
Patrick Cunningham, Co. A, 12th Illinois V.

## BURIED WEST BROOKFIELD.

George A. Ransom, Co. A, 162 O. V.  
Isaac Liver, Co. E, 10th O. V.  
Henry Newstetter, War 1812  
Tische Thompson, Independent  
George Sunhalter.

Dr. F. Roman Brehmer, an eminent German authority, says: "Consumption is always due to deficient nutrition of the lungs, caused by bad blood." At the Brompton Hospital for consumptives, London, Eng., a statement has been published that 52 per cent. of the patients of that institution have unsuspected kidney disorder. This explains why the proprietors of Warner's Safe Cure claim that they have received many testimonials which they have not published because of the incredulity with which they would be received were it claimed that Warner's Safe Cure cures consumption. But the fact is that if your kidneys be cured and put in a healthy condition they expel the uric acid and poisonous waste matter, and prevent the irritation of the delicate substances of the lungs, thereby removing the cause. When the effect is removed the symptom of kidney disease, which is called consumption disappears, and with it the irritation which caused it.

## To Weekly Readers.

The separation of the lists of subscribers to THE WEEKLY INDEPENDENT and THE MINERS' INDEPENDENT may have been wrong in some instances. Any who receive this week THE WEEKLY INDEPENDENT and desire the miners' edition, or vice versa, should call attention to the fact and it will be remedied.

## An Imperative Necessity.

What pure air is to an unhealthy locality, what spring cleaning is to a neat housekeeper, so is Hood's Sarsaparilla to every body, at this season. The body needs to be thoroughly renovated, the blood purified and vitalized, the germs of disease destroyed. Scrofula, Salt Rheum, and all other blood disorders are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the most popular and successful spring medicine.

## Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Z. T. Baltzly.

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## IF YOU HAVE

## MALARIA OR PILES,

SICK HEADACHE, DUMB AGUE, CONSTIPATION, BILIOUSNESS, STOMACH ACIDITY and BELCHING; if your food does not assimilate and you have no appetite,

**Tutt's Pills**  
will cure these troubles. Try them; you have nothing to lose, but







## ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

## WAYS AND MEANS TO PROFITABLE FRUIT GROWING AND GARDENING.

**Plants for Ornamental Gardening**—Popular Bedding Plants—How to Set Them. Flower Beds for Moist Luggy Situations and Flower Beds for Hot Dry Climates.

Beds of scarlet geraniums, verbenas and ornamental boxed plants are exceedingly popular, for these make handsome and enduring beds from June until frost. These plants are set out as soon as the ground is warm and all danger from frosts is over.

It is the custom in some places to raise flower beds in the center, but Vack tells in his 17th Guide that this is not a good plan in a warm, dry climate, unless water is abundant, so that the bed can be showered every evening, for they dry out much quicker than flat beds, and are not so desirable. Our people have copied this plan from moist, foggy countries. The numerous quoted says: When beds are made of several varieties of plants, and one or more grow so rapidly as to make the bed uneven, the rapidly growing sort can be kept pruned back. In circular beds it is always best, of course, to place the tallest growing plants in the center, as it is in all beds that are viewed from all sides, but a bed that is only seen from the front, like a border, having a hedge, or something like it, for a background, should have the back row of plants the tallest and the front ones the shortest.



A CIRCULAR FLOWER BED.

The proper distance for setting bedding plants is twelve inches apart, except verbenas, which should be eighteen inches, and alternanthera, which should be only six inches. It is easy, therefore, to ascertain how many plants are needed for a bed of any dimension. The bedding system of gardening has been popular for some years, and certainly has its advantages. Plants are selected for this purpose that will keep in blossom the whole season and the flowers of which will bear the sun without injury. By this plan, therefore, the beds, if well made, always look neat and beautiful. Numbered among popular bedding plants are achyranthus, alternanthera, calceolus esculentum, canna, centaurea, coleus, echinaria, feverfew (golden), geraniums, ricinus and verbenas.

**Plum Trees in Apple Orchards.** Professor A. J. Cook is reported as advocating the planting of plum trees in apple orchards. The reason given is that curculios having a decided preference for plum trees will collect upon these and can be destroyed much more easily than if scattered over the whole orchard. The best method of destroying the curculio seems to be to spray the tree very thoroughly with a mixture of one pound of London purple to 200 gallons of water; although if the object be simply to drive the curculio away a mixture of one pint of carbolic acid with fifty pounds of plaster, thrown over the tree, seems to be quite effective. The first spraying should be done just as the blossoms are falling, and should be repeated twice at intervals of about ten days. The importance of not spraying until the blossoms had fallen, because of poisoning the honey bees, was emphasized in the address.

**Remedies for Onion and Radish Maggots.** According to Professor Cook the onion and radish maggot are one and the same. He advises planting a few radishes, cabbages or turnips near the onion plot. The maggots, preferring the latter to onions, will there congregate, and the infested plants may then be pulled up and destroyed.

To raise a crop of radishes free from maggots, Professor Cook also advises to grow them in a frame covered with muslin. A heavy application of ashes from a burned rubbish heap put on the surface and raked in, and seed sown immediately afterwards, has always seemed to keep the patch entirely clear from the pest.

**Grafting Apple Trees.** When large, vigorous apple trees are to be grafted, says a good authority as Eli Minch, it is always best, if possible, to graft the center of the tree, as low down as the tree will admit. Fully one-half of the center of the top should be cut out and set to grafts, leaving the outside branches to remain. The second year grafts that failed to take and one-half the ungrafted remainder. The third year complete the grafting. The outside branches the first year protect the inside grafts from injury by being blown off, partially so the second year, and the third year the older grafts, in return, save the younger ones from injury. The trees are thus gradually changed into new kinds without injury to the health of the tree.

**Common Sense in the Corn Field.** T. B. Terry, one of Ohio's most successful corn growers, says: "Work corn as deeply as possible at first; after that, not over two inches deep, ending up with even shallower cultivation, so as not to disturb the roots. Numerous examples were given, at the institutes, where loss had come from deep tillage, particularly in a dry time, and where great successes had come from shallow culture. This is in accordance with common sense."

## AMONG THE SMALL FRUITS.

Varieties That Have Been Tested with Successful Results.

A New York fruit grower, writing in The New York Times, says:

Among the many excellent fruits that have been introduced during the past dozen years there are a few that are worthy of praise whenever mentioned, and that on account of their superiority over many of the best old sorts I should be glad to see planted in every family garden. Of these I would especially recommend the following sorts: Shaffer's Colossal and Ohio raspberry; Fay's Prolific currant and the Industry gooseberry.

Of Shaffer's Colossal too much can hardly be said in its favor as a family berry, according to my estimate. It is appropriately named, as both plant and fruit are colossal in proportions, and it is with me immensely productive. It is also hardy, going through our severest winters alive to the very tips. In quality for canning purposes it cannot be excelled. I have got to find the raspberry that will anywhere nearly equal it, and for table use in a fresh state it is equal to any other, unless its excess of acid be made an objection. Its color is against it as a market berry until it becomes known for its good qualities, but when people are once acquainted with it it will sell readily on its merits in competition with other sorts. The advantage of having an excellent red berry of the tip class will be appreciated by many who object to the sucker sorts on account of their propensity to spread, especially for garden planting, and all such may safely plant this berry without fear of disappointment.

The Ohio raspberry, though not of so recent introduction, is, I believe, all things considered, the best black cap berry disseminated. It is hardy beyond anything else in that line I have seen, besides which it will outyield most other sorts with which it has been compared. In quality, if not as good as some of the blacks, there is so little difference that when fully ripened it will satisfy any one who will eat a black raspberry of any sort. As a market berry it sells as readily as any berry of its class, being of good color, and when grown on very rich soil—as all black caps should be—very large, while it carries up in splendid condition if properly handled. Were I planting but one variety of black caps, that would certainly be the Ohio. It is classed as medium in season, but begins to ripen quite early, nearly as early as Sauthegan or Tyler, which is especially recommended as one of the best early sorts. For evaporating purposes it is unexcelled.

As to the value of Fay's Prolific currant, it seems to be undisputed wherever it has been fairly tested. The length of stem is nearly double that of the cherry, while the size of berry is fully equal and the vigor of bush on my grounds much greater. It is destined to stand at the head of the list as one of the desirable acquisitions of recent years.

The Industry gooseberry was proved the three years I have had it on trial fully equal to all that has been claimed for it. It has as yet shown no tendency to mildew here, though growing within 100 feet of where last season the Smith's Improved was badly affected by this trouble. The fruit is large and handsome and the bushes are loaded with the weight of the same. Should it not develop some weakness not yet observed on my grounds, I consider it one of the most satisfactory new fruits I have tested.

## Grass and Apples.

In a paper read before a farmers' meeting in Boston, Mr. O. B. Haden, of Worcester, expressed himself as follows on the much discussed subject, "Shall orchards be cultivated?" He said: "Orchards should be cultivated according to circumstances. They may be planted with good crops until the shade is objectionable; then kept in grass, and top dressed annually or biennially with stable manure, ground bone and ashes. A lime land must be kept in good heart to produce good fruit, and when the land is in grass, fruit that falls off is less liable to injury by dirt and bruise than when in plowed land. But when two crops, grass and apple, are grown upon land each season, the soil should be enriched in view of this double drain resulting from two annual crops. Furthermore, it is a well established fact that on land kept in good heart, apple trees will bear every season, equalizing the product, and are more advantageous to the grower, as a good annual product tends to better cultivation and care."

## The Culture of Dahlias.

The dahlia is one of the most easily cultivated of all flowers, a strong soil and plenty of sunshine being the chief requirements. The finest flowers are produced from seed the first season where care is taken to plant early and the young plants kept in a state of rapid growth during the early summer months. If there is a tendency to throw out too many branches the surplus ought to be pruned off, says American Cultivator. Other advice given is as follows: The appearance of too many buds will prevent a perfect development of the blooms, and should be thinned by pinching out at least two-thirds of them as soon as they appear. Very few side shoots should be allowed to remain after the first half dozen on each branch, if large, perfect flowers are desired. The bloom will appear about the last of August and continue until frost.

## Horticultural Notes.

The pear crop will average light in consequence of its great enemy, the blight.

In Ohio and the great grape growing regions of New York and Pennsylvania a good crop is anticipated.

The strawberry crop is hardly up to the average, yet much larger than that of 1898, which was the lightest in many years.

The peach crop will be the largest ever grown. A good crop is expected at most points in the west.

The crop of apples will be much smaller than that of last year.

## MEN WHO HAVE CLIMBED.

**Railroad Magnates Who Have Risen from the Lower Ranks.** (Special Correspondence.)

**New York, May 23.**—Samuel Spencer, president of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, fifteen years ago was agent at one of the small stations on that line. Tom King, now one of the vice presidents of the road, commenced as brakeman. W. K. Ackerman, general agent of the Baltimore and Ohio, and formerly president of the Illinois Central, readily recalls the days when he earned less than \$10 a week as a transfer clerk. Superintendent Bissell, of the New York Central and Hudson River railroad, worked his way up from switchman to brakeman, conductor and freight agent. J. M. Tourey, assistant superintendent of the same road, less than twenty years ago was a station agent on a New England line. Assistant President Tillinghast, of the Central, was formerly a fireman, and Traffic Manager Gilford, of the same corporation, in the early sixties was a clerk in the freight department of an Ohio road.

Thirty years ago there lived on the line of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad in northeastern Pennsylvania a farmer whose 12-year-old boy would neglect his chores and steal off to watch the engines. The boy was seldom happy save when in the company of the employees of the road. When he was a few years older he suddenly disappeared to turn up a couple of weeks later as a brakeman on a coal train at \$25 per month. The station agent near his father's farm had obtained the place for him. The boy did not mistake his calling, and has been climbing ever since. His name is Jerome A. Fillmore, and he is now general superintendent of the Central and Southern Pacific railway system at a salary of \$15,000 a year.

W. B. Strong, president of the Santa Fe system, has a history very similar to that of Fillmore. He rose from freight brakeman to station agent, telegraph operator, and since then his strides forward have been fast and long. First Vice President Smith, of the same company, thought he was fortunate when he received an appointment as station master at an out of the way town on a bankrupted Indiana line. George L. Sands, the Santa Fe's general superintendent, commenced his career as a brake twister. President Clark, of the Illinois Central, was an engineer fifty years ago, and J. L. Jeffrey, the general manager, when a young man, learned the machinist's trade so thoroughly that he could now build a locomotive, build a new bridge or repair an old one.

General Superintendent Kerrigan commenced his training for the management of the 6,000 miles embraced in the Missouri Pacific system as axman on the Iron Mountain road. Later he became rodman, and everything that was given him to do was done so well that he now receives \$10,000 a year. General Agent Hitchcock, of the Union Pacific, and William H. Holcomb, general manager of the Oregon Railroad company, both began as brakemen. Twelve years ago W. S. Mellen, now general manager of the Wisconsin Central, was telegraph operator on a Wisconsin road, with seemingly little prospect of promotion. A year or so later, however, he was appointed station agent at Racine, and he has been advancing ever since. He can't be over 35, and as he is one of the best equipped railroad men in the country his future is indeed a bright one. A. A. Allen, Manager Mellen's assistant, commenced his railroad career in 1868 as a telegraph messenger boy. Henry C. Bradley, the Wisconsin Central's general freight agent, also began in the same way.

The man who rides over the Chicago and Alton railroad on a pass issued by the general manager reads at the bottom of the pass the name "C. H. Chappell." In war times this same Chappell was a freight brakeman on the Galesburg division of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad. He never fooled away his time, and employed all his leisure in learning the details of railroading. One day he came under the notice of the general superintendent of the road, who took him into his office. There he learned telegraphy and became a train dispatcher. His career since then is well known. An ex-brakeman is J. L. Hanrahan, general manager of the Louisville and Nashville road. President Thomas, of the Nashville and Chattanooga, commenced as a station master. Henry F. Royce, who for some years has been general superintendent of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, used to be an engine wiper in the Boston round house of the Boston and Worcester Railroad. General Manager St. John, of the same road, commenced as assistant to the ticket agent at Quincy, Mass. George L. Carman, who is now commissioner in half a dozen railroad pools and traffic associations, started in as a train boy.

Austin Corbin, president of the Reading road, was a country lawyer at Davenport, Ia., thirty-five years ago, and J. L. Bell, general traffic manager of the same road, was for years a freight clerk in the Philadelphia office of the Reading. J. H. Olthousen, general superintendent of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, used to work in the machine shops at Pottstown, Pa. He was a good machinist, and makes a good superintendent. John Adams, general superintendent of the Fitchburg railroad, also started in as a journeyman machinist. Warren E. Locke, the Fitchburg's general freight agent, commenced as a brakeman, and W. H. Barnes, of the Boston and Albany line, as freight conductor. George L. Bradbury, now general manager of the Lake Erie and Western, began in the same way.

"The average railroad man holds to the opinion that he who is faithful in a few things will in due time be given charge over many, and it would look as though the average railroad man is about right."

REFUS R. WILSON.

## Nothing New.

Wife—Why, Arthur! The trees are out!

Arthur—Yes; I have noticed them out all winter.—New York Sun.

## OUR CHECKER COLUMN.

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## THE OLD DRAUGHTS BOARD.

I never met for a Rothschild's wealth,  
Nor for a Nelson's fame,  
A Lord Mayor's robes of office,  
With a handle to my name.  
Gave me a jovial Checkerman,  
And what cheer I can afford;  
I'll give him a hearty welcome  
Across the old draughts board.

Let the King enjoy his splendor,  
The statesman the debate,  
The miser's self-counted gold,  
The lordling's estate—  
Give me a humble cottage—  
Inside, a cozy fire,  
The draughts board and a friend to play;  
I'll envy not the squire.

The courier may enjoy his rank,  
The royal Ponce his gun,  
The Bishop have his game at chess,  
The checkers his fun;  
Give me a staunch old Draughtsman  
When the hours of life are o'er,  
The old draughts board between us—  
I ask for nothing more.—Koper.

POSITION NO. 121.—BY A. O. CLEGGERT.  
HARTFORD, CONN.  
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## THE COUNTY SEAT.

## New Notes from Over the Hill.

CANTON, May 29.—The board of elections for registration for this city as appointed by the governor is: William H. Smith, R. Republican, four years; Samuel Mayer, Democrat, four years; Herbert S. Saxton, Republican, four years; A. O. Slom, Democrat, two years; Harry Rex, Republican, clerk. Under the law the Democratic members are disqualified, both holding city positions.

Elaborate preparations are being made here for a business carnival, to be given in the Fairgrounds about the middle of June. The plan is to have all the business men represented by a lady or gentleman. About twenty firms are in this far being represented by young society ladies. Each firm pays one dollar for representation, the proceeds to go to the Lutheran church.

Arrangements are being made here for a musical carnival to be given at Pastime Park July 1st. A huge tent will cover the grounds. The Grand Army band will be in the line. Ice cream, lemonade, and other fruit will be there in full force. A chorus of five hundred voices is proposed.

Ernest H. Honecker, of No. 210 East Seventh street, was arrested at the lake Tuesday afternoon, charged with an attempt to assault two girls, Maud Crawl and Helen Artz, and Miss Joseph Artz. He is 47 years old.

Margaret Brandt, widow of Leonard Stands, of Canton to ship, is dead. She was 75 years of age, and died of spinal trouble.

The local daily papers will observe Memorial day.

The Y. M. D. C. will give a soiree at Lakeview Wednesday evening.

CANTON, May 28.—Sheriff Leininger is in Chicago, called there by a telegram informing him that August Gross-schiller alias Thomas, was under arrest there. The grand jury has under consideration Gross-schiller's case for burglary and larceny in Massillon.

A resident of the Massillon-Narver road wants \$225 damages from the county commissioners, for the killing of his horse by being driven over a high place in the road. This name could not be learned.

Henry Winfield, residing north of the city, has commenced suit against the city and the water works trustees. He asks \$8,000 damages from the city and \$500 from the water works trustees, for injury done his property by restraining him from erecting a dam.

Ex-councilman Gaschatte has sued the city for \$1,000 damages for Allen street being out of repair.

Ann Adley has commenced suit against Michael Burke. She wants \$1,000 damages, claiming that he assaulted her in 1886 and severely injured her.

John P. Heinbuch and Louisa H. Hann, of Massillon, have been given a license to wed.

At a special meeting of the Stark county bar, held Monday afternoon, it was decided to tender to Judge William R. Day a public banquet over his recent appointment. A committee of seven was appointed to arrange for it.

CANTON, May 27.—Dr. T. C. Walker has been arrested here on the charge of assaulting his son, A. B. Walker, with intent to kill. The assault took place Saturday on the court house pavement, and grew out of the celebrated Walker divorce case. The preliminary hearing will be held Friday.

The Rev. J. H. Harpster delivered a Memorial sermon in the First M. E. Church Sunday afternoon, to the G. A. R., Sons of Veterans and citizens.

Sheriff Leininger has received word that Ida Vogan, whose case of burglary at Massillon the grand jury has under consideration, is at her home in New Lisbon, and that she is incurably insane. She will be returned to the asylum.

The Grand Army band concert will be given at the Tabernacle Tuesday evening.

J. J. Parker, a well-known member of the Stark county bar three years ago, is gaining laurels in Chicago.

John F. Peter, of Massillon, has opened up a branch establishment here. He's a dyer.

The members of the Baptist church will, on June 4th, give a reception to their new pastor, the Rev. J. N. Field. It will be at the Baptist church.

The Canton Battalion has accepted Akron's invitation to be present in that city on July 4th and participate in the sham battle.

CANTON, May 25.—In the list of appointments sent out by the telegraph Friday afternoon was that of Judge William R. Day, of this city, for the position of United States district judge of Northern Ohio. Judge Day will don the judicial garb June 1, but has not decided whether or not he will take up his residence in Cleveland. The appointment gives universal satisfaction in this city and the members of the Stark county bar are arranging for a banquet in honor of their colleague's appointment.

Sheriff Leininger is using the wires freely in an effort to discover the whereabouts of Ida Vogan, who gained considerable notoriety in this city and Massillon some months ago by her thievish propensities. He has been unsuccessful so far. The grand jury has her case in charge.

## EAST GREENVILLE.

M. G. Rone's parents gave her a

surprise Sunday last, by their appearance at her residence, East Greenville. Her father is eighty-two years old and looks well.

Miss Bertha Graybill and some of her friends from New Philadelphia, gave their friends in Greenville a dying visit last Sunday.

Several of our citizens have been giving their houses a new summer suit and they look well.

Several new houses are about completed, and the material for others on the ground ready for the carpenters.

The large stone building is fast being completed and will soon be ready for business. Mr. A. Owens thinks he will have it ready by the 1st of June.

William Baer's team ran away on Monday, but no damage was done.

The Anderson bank has not worked for two weeks, and do not know when they will resume work again. The miners are looking blue.

The sound of the drill tools of H. Orendorf is again heard in the village. Morgan has again moved on the Hemsperly territory to drill.

They have not been working at the new shaft, on the Kurtz farm, for the past few days. The boiler gave out. They expect to have it repaired in a few days.

Our young friend, Dr. Marshall, seems to be kept busy attending the sick. He has met with good success so far.

W. M. Gregon, who has been sick for a few days, at this writing is reported better.

## CHAPMAN.

Joseph U. Bell, one of our brightest young men, is taking a course of study at Mt. Union college.

Mrs. William Reardon returned last Saturday after spending two weeks with relatives at Apple creek, Wayne county.

Mr. and Mrs. Monckton Davis have gone to Mahoning county for a week's visit with friends and relatives.

An entire new set of miners furnish the clay at the brickyard and all are again serene.

The board of education of Lawrence has decided to erect a new school building in the North Lawrence district, the present building being inadequate and unsafe. Some of our taxpayers desired to defer building until next year, but the risk of an accident to the scholars was too great for the board to carry, and they wisely decided to build this summer.

The little girl of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Richards who was reported burned last week was buried on Sunday afternoon. The family has the sympathy of their many friends.

A telegram was received by George W. Richards Saturday informing him of the death of his brother-in-law from a mine explosion in Pennsylvania.

W. R. Day has picked up the judge plum for the Northern district of Ohio through the influence of Major McKinley in a fair, open and honorable manner. Judge Day for the first time asked his townsman, neighbor and friend for a political favor and it was granted. Now who can find fault with it? Not one.

The appointment cannot help but give general satisfaction. It would have been very gratifying in Major not to have used all honorable means at his command in the interest of his friend, Judge Day.

## WEST BROOKFIELD.

Miss Jessie McIsaac has been hired by the local board of school directors, to teach the secondary department of our school. Miss McIsaac gave excellent satisfaction last winter as teacher in the primary department, and the department to which she is now promoted will take no step backward.

Mrs. Martin Harbaugh moved to the mountains of Cambria Co. Pa., where her husband is running a sawmill.

The prospect for another school district in this township is good. The country between here and Greenville is filling up rapidly, and the school accommodations of both this place and Greenville are taxed to their utmost capacity. Something must soon be done to accommodate the pupils, and efforts will soon be made in that direction. A committee has been appointed by the board of education to investigate the matter.

The young folks of Dublin and vicinity gave a good entertainment at Dublin school house, Saturday evening. There was good attendance notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather.

E. G. Krause, of Cleveland Ohio, has purchased forty acres of the north east corner of the "Section". A large portion of the above tract is underlaid with coal which will be mined by the West Massillon Coal Co. No. 2 mine, thereby prolonging the time of that mine by several years.

H. F. Gaddis and Charles Erle are building a house and barn for Michael Culler of Sugar Creek township.

The dunkards will have "love fest" at Dr. F. Z. Groff's barn, Saturday night, June 1st.

Mr. Wm. Ickesse, his son and daughter, of Columbiana County, visited his son William Ickesse this week.

Peter Fichter is the happiest man in town. His happiness being caused by the arrival of a bouncing girl at his home.

Wm. Smith will close his school at Dublin next Friday, May 31.

Sylvester Higer is hauling material for his new residence.

Jacob Wolf is painting his house.

## ELTON.

Mrs. Jennie Klingel has been seriously ill, but is now gaining strength slowly.

The ground was broken for the new shaft, this week on the farm of M. Beals. The vacant houses in Elton are being rapidly engaged and soon our little town will resume its old-time air of prosperity.

Mrs. Mary Galhouse and grand-son, Chauncey, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Boughman.

The high school commencement at Navarre was attended by a number from this vicinity, who had a special interest in one of the graduates, Mr. Alden McFarren.

Mr. and Mrs. Egler, of Wilnot, Mr. and Mrs. John Ricksecker, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ketterer, of Mount Eator, spent the first day of the week with Malcolm Boughman.

West Lebanon will decorate the graves of its fallen heroes, whose names are ever held in loving remembrance. They meet at ten o'clock and march to the

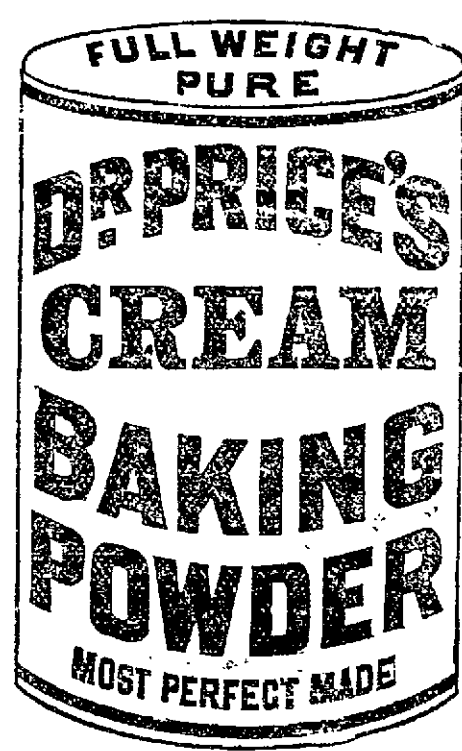
graves. After the adjournment for dinner there will be speaking by three good talkers whose names we are unable to give.

Mrs. Ojilva McFarren has been quite ill.

Mr. Harry Baughman, of Alliance, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Boughman one day last week.

Mr. William Koehler and sister of Dundee, were the guests of Mr. Peter Koehler, Sunday.

Ladies' velvet slippers, kid opera slippers and grain slippers only 50c at J. D. Frank & Co.'s, No. 6 East Main street.



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Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of Ohio.

**TAXATION.**

**AMENDMENT NO. 1.**

SECTION 1. Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, That a proposition shall be submitted to the electors of this state, on the 1st Tuesday after the first Monday of November, 1890, to amend Section 2 of Article XII of the Constitution of the State of Ohio, so that it shall read as follows:

ARTICLE XII.  
SECTION 2. The General Assembly shall provide for the raising of revenue for the support of the state and local governments; but the same shall be uniform on the same class of subjects. Burying grounds, public schoolhouses, houses used exclusively for public worship, institutions of purely public charity, public property used exclusively for any public purpose, and personal property to an amount not exceeding in value two hundred dollars for each individual, may, by general laws, be exempted from taxation, and the value of all property so exempted shall, from time to time, be ascertained and published, as may be directed by law.

SECTION 3. At such election those electors desiring to vote for such amendment may have placed upon their ballots the words "Taxation Amendment—Yes," and those opposed to such amendment may have placed upon their ballots the words "Taxation Amendment—No."

SECTION 4. This amendment shall take effect on the first day of January, 1891.

ELBERT L. LAMSON,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

THEO. F. DAVIS,  
President of the Senate.

Adopted April 2, 1890.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE,  
WASHINGTON, D. C., }  
I, DANIEL J. RYAN, Secretary of State of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a joint resolution adopted by the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, on the 2nd day of April, A. D. 1890, taken from the original filed in this office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and affixed my official seal, at Columbus, the 10th day of April, A. D. 1890.

DANIEL J. RYAN,  
Secretary of State.

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## Legal Notice.

George Baum, whose residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 18th day of March, 1889, Mary Francis Baum died her petition in the Court of Common Pleas, Stark county, Ohio, praying for a divorce from said George Baum, on the ground of willful absence for more than three years last passed, and for alimony, and custody of their child, and to be restored to her maiden name. Said case will be for hearing on and after May 31st, 1890. MARY FRANCIS BAUM, By Wm. McMillen, her attorney. 45-05

## Legal Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as been duly appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Mr. Francis Scharneck, late Massillon, Stark county, O., deceased.

J. H. MITCHELL, Canal Dover, O. MAY 6th, 1890.

## Notice of Attachment.

Susanna Kuster, Plaintiff, vs. Before Wm. S. Rogers, Justice of the Peace of Stark County, Ohio, Defendant, J. Perry T. Stark, O. On the 18th day of May, A. D. 1889, said Justice issued an order of attachment in the above action for the sum of two hundred dollars.

MAY 18th day, 1890. SUSANNA KESTER.

## Legal Notice.

Emma Mauck, of Overton, Dawson county Neb., is notified that William H. Mauck did, on the 13th day of May, 1889, file his petition in the office of the clerk of the court of common pleas within and for the county of Stark and State of Ohio, charging said Emma Mauck with willful absence for more than three years last past, and asking that she be declared his lawful wife, and that she have custody of their child, and to be restored to her maiden name. Which said petition will stand for hearing on the 10th day of July, 1890.

WILLIAM H. MAUCK, By R. A. FISS, his attorney.

## Legal Notice.

Pursuant to an order of the Probate Court, of Stark County, Ohio, made on May 13, 1889, in the case of Sylvester Higer as administrator with the will annexed, on the estate of Christiana Garber deceased, against Genevieve Garber, widow, and others the children, heirs at law, and legatees, of said decedent, I will offer for sale at public auction, on the premises on the 14th day of June, 1890, at 1 o'clock P. M., the real estate belonging to said Christiana Garber at the time of her death, situated in Tuscarawas township, in said Stark county, lying in the east part of the northeast quarter of section 11, the southeast quarter of section 11, and the southwest quarter of section 12, in said township, less the 32-100 of an acre, contracted to be sold to Thomas Garber, containing 39 and 55-100 acres of land, more or less, subject to all liens and mortgages, and to the payment of the premises by metes and bounds, reference is here made to the petition and order of appointment in the case. Appraised at \$3,475. Terms of sale, cash on day of sale. May 14, 1890.

47-5 SYLVESTER HIGER, Administrator.

## Notice.

Sealed proposals will be received by the City Council of the City of Massillon, O., at the office of the City Clerk, at the corner of Erie and Fremont streets, until July 1st, 1890, at 12 o'clock M., for the construction of the main sewer on Erie street and Charles street, and for the sewer in sewer district No. 1, according to plans, profiles and specifications on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer of said city.

The bids may be for either work or material, or for both; each must be separately stated, with the price.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any or all of the bids.

Each bid to be guaranteed according to law. By order of the City Council.

H. W. LOEFFLER, Clerk of the City of Massillon, O. MASSILLON, O., May 20th, 1890.

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The council reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

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## Notice of Sale of Bonds

Sealed proposals will be received at the above mentioned office until the 24th day of June, 1890, at 12 o'clock M., for the purchase of 8 bonds of \$500 each and one bond of \$300, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually and payable one-third in one year, one-third in two years, and one-third in three years, issued in anticipation of special assessment on abutting property on East Main street, for the construction of sewers from Prospect to one hundred feet east of Front street, in pursuance of Sections 2,704, 2,705 and 2,706 of the Revised Statutes of Ohio, and an ordinance of said City entitled, "An ordinance to borrow money and issue bonds for the purpose of constructing sewers on East Main street from Prospect to one hundred feet east of Front street," passed on the 29th day of April, 1889, authorizing the issue of said bonds, which will be sold to the highest and best bidder, but in no case for less than their par value. Bids should specify the number and amount and the rate of premium offered.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

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